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FROM: HQ AFMC/PKP  
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SUBJ: Long Lead Policy Changes

TO: See Distribution--

1. The Air Force has issued new policy on the acquisition of long lead items initiated with advance procurement or comparable FMS funds (AFAC 92-26). We are forwarding a copy of the AFAC (Atch 1) and a SAF/AQCS letter of clarification (Atch 2). The effective date for implementation was 9 April 1993.

2. The new policy supersedes our AFMCFARS coverage at subpart 5317.92. In accordance with the instructions at AFAC 92-26, Item E-1, paragraph 5, the AFMCFARS coverage entitled Special Contracting Methods for Protection of Delivery Schedules at Subpart 5317.92 is rescinded. Pending AFMCAC action, this letter may be used as authority to make pen-and-ink changes to AFMCFARS. The following AFMCFARS clauses are also rescinded: 5352.217-9019, Long Lead Limitation of Government Liability (Jul 1992); and 5352.217-9020, Long Lead Contract Definition (Jul 1992).

3. We are developing a new AFMCFARS long lead supplement which will provide additional guidance. You are invited to identify any additional guidance or clarification needed which you believe we should address in AFMCFARS.

4. Send your recommendations and comments to HQ AFMC/PKP by 21 June 1993. Refer questions to Kenneth Farr, HQ AFMC/PKP, DSN 787-6754.

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2 Atch  
1. AFAC 92-26  
2. AFAC 92-26 Clarifications  
w/3 Atch

Atch 93-11C(FAR 17) Post to AFMCFARS 5317.92 by circling the reference and noting in the margin: "70-41, atch 93-11C". Then file this atch behind the sups to FAR 17.